

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously Amended) A process for manufacturing composite sheets, in which:

- a web of yarns, in the form of a mat of continuous yarns, a woven, a knit or an assembly of continuous non-interlaced yarns, is continuously deposited on a moving substrate, the web comprising at least one organic material and at least one reinforcing material;
- a powder of an organic material capable of forming a coating layer under the action of heat is deposited on at least one side of said web;
- the web coated with the powder is heated to a temperature sufficient to melt the powder;
- the web is compressed and cooled so as to form a composite strip; and
- the strip is cut in the form of sheets or wound up on a rotating support.

2. (Currently Amended) The process as claimed in claim 1, ***characterized in that*** the powder ~~consists of particles of a material~~ is selected from ~~[[a]]~~ the group consisting of particles of a thermoplastic material and particles of a thermosetting material.

3. (Original) The process as claimed in claim 2, ***characterized in that*** the thermoplastic material is selected from polyolefins, polyamides, polyesters and PVC.

4. (Original) The process as claimed in claim 2, ***characterized in that*** the thermosetting material is selected from epoxies, polyesters, polyurethanes and phenolic compounds.

5. (Previously Amended) The process as claimed in claim 2, ***characterized in that*** the web comprises between 20 and 90%, preferably between 30 and 85%, by weight of reinforcing material.

6. (Previously Amended) The process as claimed in claim 5, ***characterized in that*** the reinforcing material is glass, carbon or aramid.

7. (Previously Amended) The process as claimed in claim 6, ***characterized in that*** the web comprises at least 50% by weight of intermingled yarns of glass filaments and of filaments of a thermoplastic organic material.

8. (Previously Amended) The process as claimed in claim 7, ***characterized in that*** the web is exclusively in the form of wovens or of continuous non-interlaced yarns.

9. (Previously Amended) The process as claimed in claim 8, ***characterized in that*** the powder is deposited on the web in an amount sufficient to produce a final coating layer with a thickness of between 0.3 and 1 mm, preferably between 0.6 and 0.8 mm.

10. (Previously Amended) The process as claimed in claim 9, ***characterized in that*** at least one intermediate structure is deposited on at least one side of the web, before the powder application step.

11. (Previously Amended) The process as claimed in claim 10, ***characterized in that*** the structure is selected from yarns or yarn assemblies, films, veils, sheets, panels and foams.

12. – 21. (Canceled)